

Claim #2) Samuel Barnett

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Claim No. 21.

Under Article 8. Treaty of 14th June 1866.
with Creek Indians.

The undersigned Samuel Barnett, a
Freedman & native of the Creek Nation, who
enlisted as a Soldier in the 1st Indian Regt.
and served during the latter part of the War of
the Rebellion; being duly examined and sworn -
(he understanding and conversing in the English
language.) deposes and says: that whilst living
on his place, about eight miles from North Fork
Town, Creek Nation, and sometime during the
month of August 1863, he was compelled to
fly from and abandon his home and property
by the Rebel troops under command of the Rebel
General Cooper; that he, hastily, took horse and
reached Fort Gibson, where he at once enlisted
in the service of the Union: that, at the time he
so fled his home, as aforesaid, he abandoned
and left the following property, which he then
owned and possessed: That the said property
so abandoned was entirely lost to him, and he has
never since ~~has~~ recovered the same, or any part
of the same: Today:

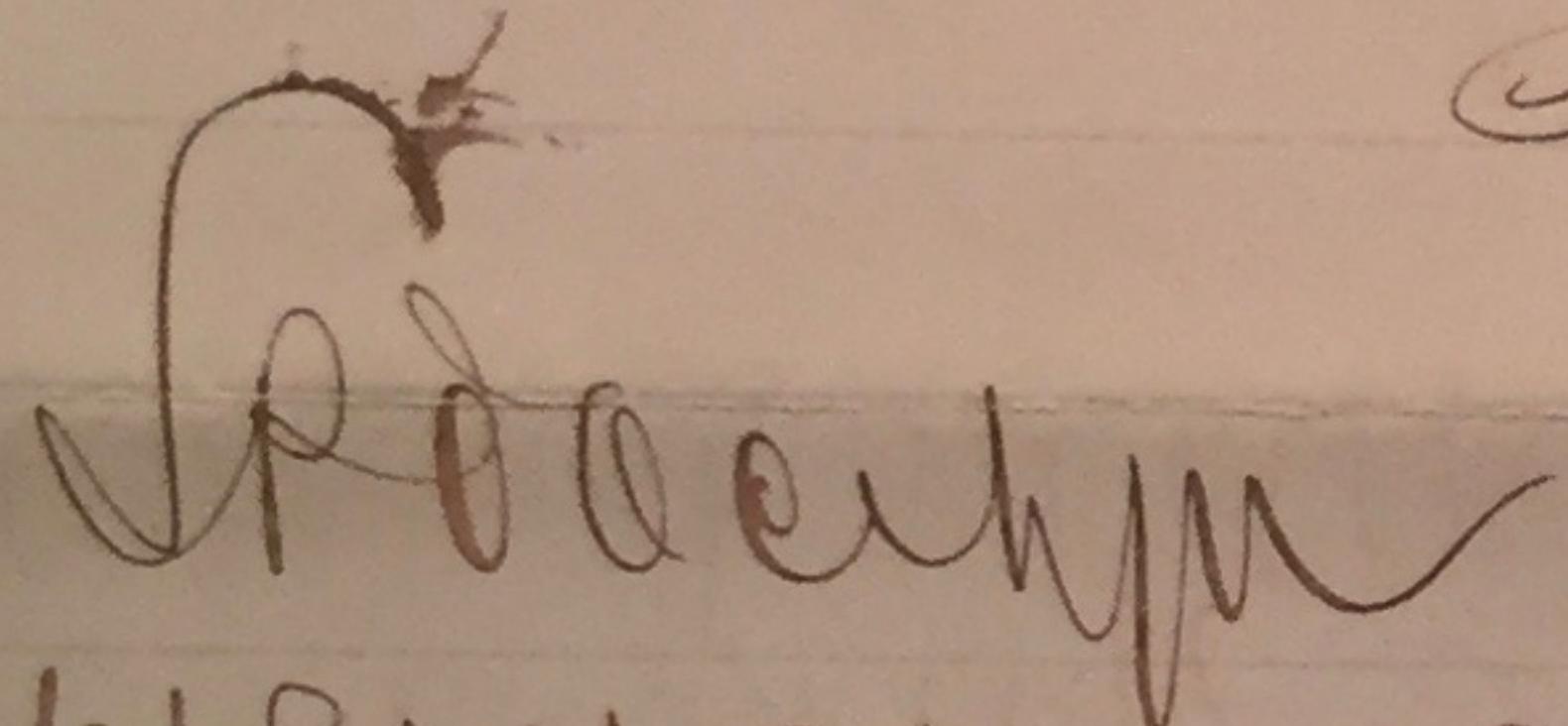
Cline (9) Indian Horses, at \$25 each	\$225.00	
Thirty three (33) Stock Hogs "	\$4 each	132.00
Six (6) Cows & Calves, "	\$15 each	90.00
Amount carried forward -		\$447.00

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Amount brought forward \$447.00.
Two (2) yoke of oxen, at \$30. each 60.00
One (1) Ox wagon " 37.00
Three hundred (300) bushels Corn, at 50¢ 150.00
Sundry House Furniture, Bed, Bedding,
Cooking utensils, table furniture &c. 50.00
making a total value of \$ 744.00.
Seven hundred and forty four dollars. And
further this deponent saith not.

Subscribed and Sworn to, before me,
at the Creek Agency, Okl., this 17th day
of November A.D. 1869.

Jam. Barnett. ^{his}
^X mark



1st Lieut. 6th Inf. Asst. Supt. Ind. Apps So. Sup'ty.

The undersigned, Aaron Grayson, and
Dennis Harrod, Freedmen and Natives of the
Creek Nation, loyal Refugees, being jointly, duly
examined and sworn - (they understanding and
conversing in the English language,) do depose
and say: that they have no personal or pecuniary
interest, whatever, in the claim of Sam Barnett;
that they have heard read to them the foregoing
affidavit, and know its contents, and that the
same is true and correct in every particular;
And, that, to their own knowledge, the said Sam.

Barnett, did, at the time stated by him, own
and possess the articles of property enumerated
in his affidavit, and that he did necessarily
abandon and lose the same in the manner
stated by him. And further these deponents
do not say

Subscribed and sworn to before me
at the Creek Agency, On this 4th
day of November A.D. 1869.

Aaron Grayson, ^{his} mark
Dennis Harrod, ^{his} mark

S. D. Clegg

Dist. Ct. Clerk
Ass't Secy. Ind. Affairs & Sup'ty.

Award.

The loss of property specified above is deemed
established by the foregoing testimony. Also the
status of claimants. The amount claimed, however,
is in some instances, considered excessive. Upon
inquiry it is found that the values of the different
kinds of property at the time the loss occurred
were as follows:-

Horses - Indians,	\$15.00 Each.
Hogs - Stock)	2.00 ..
Cows & calves -	8.00 ..
Yokes of Oxen -	30.00 ..

De Wagon,
Corn, per bushel, One-half the claimed value
 \$.50 ,

House furniture, beds, bedding & cooking utensils, table furniture &c. } claimed value
In consideration of these, and all other facts attainable, bearing upon the case, we believe it just and equitable, to award this claimant Samuel Barnett Five hundred and two dollars and fifty cents.

\$502.50

W.W. Mayow
Brevet Major General U.S. Army.
Supt. Indian Affairs, Southern Superintendency

F. A. Field
Captain U.S. Army.
Broker Agent